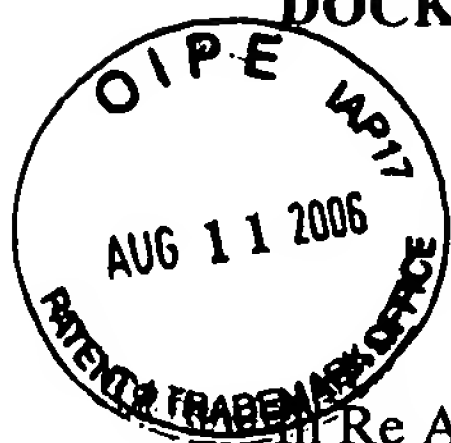


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- ☐ A Preliminary Amendment.
- ☐ A Reply Responsive to the Office Action Dated
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- ☐ A Substitute Specification (pages 1 - ) in clean form.
  - ☐ A substitute specification (pages 1 - ) with markings.
- ☐ An Abstract is enclosed.
- ☐ replacement sheets of drawings are enclosed comprising figures
- ☐ Request is hereby made to accept black and white photograph(s) in this case, as they are the only practicable medium for illustrating the claimed invention. One (1) set of black and white photographs comprising figure(s) is submitted herewith.

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- ☐ Petition is hereby made to accept drawing(s)/photograph(s) in this case.
  - ☐ Three (3) sets of color drawing(s)/photograph(s) and black and white photocopy that accurately depicts to the extent possible, the subject matter shown in the color drawing(s)/photograph(s), are enclosed, comprising figures
  - ☐ An amendment to the first paragraph in that portion of the Brief Description of the Drawings is also enclosed herewith advising that the patent contains at least one drawing/photograph in color.
- ☐ A Certified Copy of each of the following applications: is enclosed.
- ☐ An Assignee Power of Attorney is enclosed.
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement.
  - ☐ Attached Form 1449.
  - ☐ A copy of each reference as listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 is enclosed herewith.
- ☐ A Terminal Disclaimer is attached.
- ☐ Appendices as follows:
- ☒ Other: Communication re Information Disclosure Statement
- ☒ **No Additional Fee is Due.**
- ☐ Applicant(s) has previously claimed small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27.
- ☐ Applicant(s) by its/their undersigned attorney, claims small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 as
- ☐ This application is no longer entitled to small entity status. It is requested that this be noted in the files of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby requested to grant an extension of time for the appropriate length of time, should one be necessary, in connection with this filing or any future filing submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the above-identified application during the pendency of this application. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any fees related to any such extension of time to Deposit Account 23-3050. This sheet is provided in duplicate.

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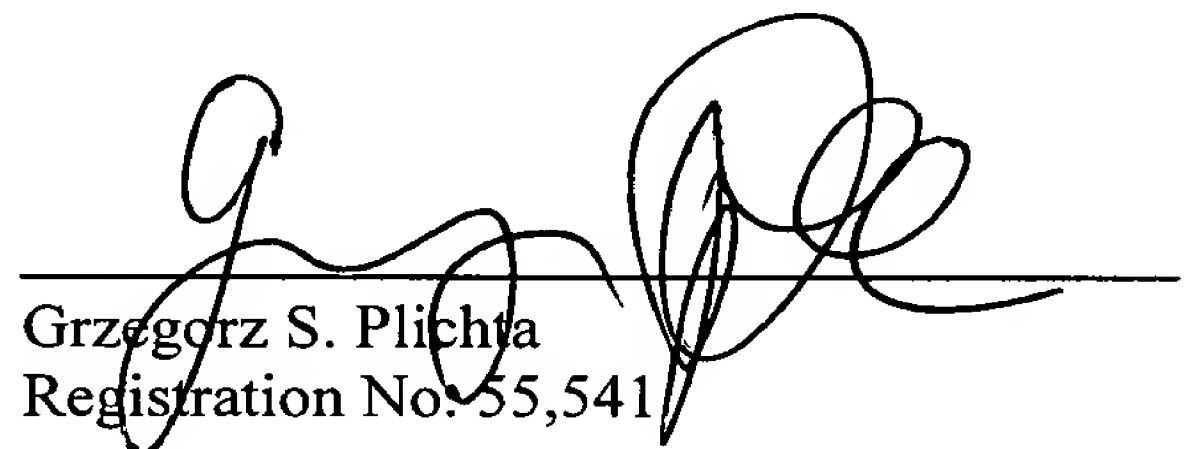
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**NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS  
(37 CFR 1.28(b))**

Applicant hereby notifies the Patent and Trademark Office that it is no longer entitled to status as a Small Entity, and that the claim for Small Entity status as set forth on **January 28, 2000**, is hereby withdrawn.

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6. Preliminary Amendment dated October 15, 2001.
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9. Notice Regarding Power of Attorney dated January 3, 2002.
10. Office Action (Restriction Requirement) dated January 15, 2002.
11. Petition for Extension of Time and date stamped return receipt postcard dated March 15, 2002.
12. Transmittal Letter and Preliminary Amendment dated March 15, 2002.
13. Response to Restriction Requirement dated March 15, 2002.
14. Non-Final Office Action dated March 29, 2002.
15. Information Disclosure Statement and stamped return receipt postcard dated July 24, 2002.
16. Transmittal Letter, Amendment with Request for Extension of Time and date stamped return receipt postcard dated July 29, 2002.
17. Final Rejection dated October 16, 2002.
18. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement and date stamped return receipt postcard dated December 10, 2002.

19. Petition for Extension of Time and Notice of Appeal dated April 16, 2003.
20. Request for Continued Examination and facsimile confirmation dated November 11, 2003.
21. Communication Dismissing Appeal dated December 11, 2003.
22. Fee Transmittal, Credit Card Payment Form, Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unavoidably dated January 27, 2004.
23. Petition to Revive with and date stamped return receipt postcard dated October 25, 2004.
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